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TOPIC Soviet Tank Unit at the Kummersdorf Artillery Range

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1. On 16 May 1951, a Soviet tank unit was quartered in a former German Army installation which is located 800 meters south of the Kummersdorf-Schiessplatz railroad station. The installation consisted of a three-story administration building, 185 meters long; a mess building; and several garages for tanks and motor vehicles. The administration building was occupied by the enlisted personnel of the tank unit. Three of the garages are U-shaped and have offices in the front sections and 13 spaces for heavy tanks in each wing. *
2. Lieutenant Colonel Babushkin (fnu) was identified as the chief of the Kech Office at the Kummersdorf artillery range.

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- * Comment. The installation possibly quarters the unidentified heavy tank regiment of the Third Gds Mecz Army, whose post has not been determined to date.

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